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December 31, Ching-wo, Pateamer, 1,556,
R. H. Machugh, Shan 38th December,
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30th, General.—Wri & Co.
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The American steamer City do de Janeiro: The PUBLIC PRIZE from San Francisco 3rd Decer, Honolulu place TO-MORRO lith, and Yokolama 27th, reported light mon January 4th, at Noon.

His Excellency the Governor has

consented to preside.
Hongkong, 31st December, 1889.

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A SCOTTISH LIFE OFFICE OF 63 YEARS
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HONGKONG, FRIDAY, JANUARY 8nd. 1890

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December 31, Ching-wo, Pateamer, 1,556, A	SCOTTISH LIFE OFFICE OF 63 YEARS STANDING, AND ONE OF THE WEALTHIEST	TOTASSETS ON 1ST JANUARD 210 224 200	MANUFACTURERS	HONGKONG DISPENSARY.		ON the Morning of the 1st January, a VALUABLE BRACELET set with one Row of DIAMONDS the Finder will be
R. H. Machugh, Shan Str. 200. General.—ARNHOLD, Skr. & Co. tr. 400. A. Ben-	OF THE PROVIDENT INSTITUTIONS OF THE UNITED KINGDOM.	18 AMET ASSURED - £86,396,400	AERATED WATERS.	PROM this date our price for the Under- mentioned PATENT MEDICINES and PROPRIETARY ARTICLES will be	YOKOHAMA.	one Row of DIAMONDS, the Finder will be handsomely rewarded.  Apply to
dizen, Pakhoi 27th, L	WHEN it is remembered that a Life S Assurance Contract may not fall to fulfilled for a quarter or even half a century	STUATED	SPECIAL NOTICE.	as follows, viz:— Alicock's Corn Plasters	"OANFA," Thomson Commander, will be despatched for	Care of Office of this Paper.  Hongkong, 3rd January, 1890. [103]
January 1, Asagao, Japanher Coals.	ter being entered into, it will be resulty	Agents- Honkong: Ekong, 21st November, 19. [2414]	From January 1st we shall supply SODA	Porous S0.40. Beecham's Pills S0.40 Belloc's Charcoal Powder \$0.75 Benger's Liquor Pancreations \$1.00	and a transfer of the second o	NOTICE.
hold	lder that the past record as woll as the	DAATTO ARTO TO	bottles only, unless the ordinary-bottle is	Bishop's Citrate of Caffeine \$0.90	ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co. Agents.	THE INTEREST AND RESPONSIBILITY OF the late Mr. ERNST CARL LUDWIG RETTER in our Firm Ceased on the 31st
- Harris, Swatow 31 Com down has	is a long record of hise know der trees to the	PACERNIC ARTS A APPRICATE CONTRIBATION	Romosh - eize is the makest worsen aster.	Brand's Essence of Chicken \$0.75 Bron's Injection \$1.00	Hongkong, 2nd January, 1890.   98   COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES	December, 1889. REUTER, BROCKELMANN & Co. Hongkong, 1st January, 1890.
Junuary 1, Zambesi, tish steamer, 1,540, £6, wit	6,800,000; and all modern features consistent ith safety have been adopted. ADAMSON, BELL & Co.	STREED CAPITAL	bottle made, and gives a great advantage to the consumer.	Brown's Bronchial Trockes \$0.45 - Bunter's Nervine \$0.40 Brilliantine Truefitt s \$1.25	MATITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.	NOTICE.
A A General ADAM PELLS of Co.	Agents, Hongkong.	PAP CAPITAL 2,500,000	The QUALITY will be maintained as usual, equal to anything turned out in the East.	Burroughs, Wellcomo & Co.'s Dislysed	TOLUMAN.	R. JOHN EDGAR has Day been admitted a Partner it by
S. H. Seilar, Chiragon & Co.		H4. J. KES WICK, Chaman I Managing	Price, Conts 50 per dozen.	Chlorodyne—Collis wno's\$0.45 Cholagogue—" Osgood's Indian'		W. R. L. & Co. Hongkong, 1st January, 18:0.
wick; Whampon January, General—	The same of the sa	E SOLOMON, Esq.	Syruped Waters will be supplied in ordinary size bottles as before.	fevers) \$2.00 Clarke's Blood Mixture \$0.95	Captain Do Manbeuge, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-DAY, the Srd instant, at	NOTICE.
C. M. S. N. Co	OF	SHICHAELSEN, Esq.	Telephone No. 60.	Cockle's Pills	Agent	AVING for some years past been commonly known as HENRIQUE GUSTAVO DO ROZARIO, which name had
Whampon 2nd thary, decision	FELT HATS	<del></del>	Nos. 22 & 24. QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL	Perry Davis' Pain Killer	Hongkong, 3rd January, 1890. (2	been given to me by my guardian, and whereas I have since discovered that my true and proper name is HENRI GUSTAVE, I hereby give
January 2, City of DE JANEIRO, American steamer, 3,540. Ward, San Francisco			FORTLAND CEMENT	Du Bary's Revelenta	THE Steamship	notice that I have resumed the said name of HENRI GUSTAVE and will in future sign:
3rd Decemberdolula 17th, and Yoko- 3rd Decemberdolula 17th, and Yoko- hama 27th, Mand General.—P. M. S. S.		Madvanced on Morrage on Land or	J. B. W H I T E & B R O S. Sole Agents for China.	Glover's Court Plaster \$11.35 Goddard's Plate Powder	Captain R. Kohler, will be despatched for the above Port TO DAY, the 3rd instant, at	all Documents in such name only.  HENRI GUSTAVE.  Hongkong, 3rd January, 1890.   108
Co.  January 2, PEK German steamer, 954, F.  Schulz, Shati 30th December, General.		Buildings. Pries purchased and sid. Dominaged and all kinds of Agency	HOLLIDAY WISE & Co. 110nmkome 11th Annil 1888. 2626	Grimault's Cigarettes \$0.75 Guyot's Tar Solution \$0.75	Four P.M., instead of as previously notified.  For Freight or Passage, apply to  SIEMSSEN & Co.	GENTLEMAN about to Liquidate his Local Business is Open for a Respon-
Schulz, Shau Sith December, General.  —Siemsser of British steamer, 1,950, W.		and Commission Insiness relating to Land, &c., conducted	NOTICES TERMS.	Pills	Hongkong, 2nd January, 1890.	sible position. Knowledge of English, French, German, and Book-keeping.
January 2. Oan British Steamer, 1,000.  S. Thomsopudon, and Singapore 26th December, et al.—Arnhoud, Karberd		particulars can be obtained at the Com- position, No. 5, Quem's Road Central. A. SHYLTON HOOPER,—	NOTION.	Jayne's Sanative Pills	LIMITED.	Highest References. Replies under "FELIX."
& Co.  British steamer, 805, Jas.		Secretary.	This Day been appointed AGENTS in Hongkong for the STANDARD LIFE	Kay's Essence of Linseed \$0.45 , Cosguline \$0.45 Kenting's Insect Powder \$0.45	THE Company's Steamship	Care of this Paper. Hongkong, 3rd January, 1890. [106]
Young, Spore 15th December, and Brown Hop Hing & Co.	LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.	Houghong, 3rd May, 1889. [13] NGRONG & SHANGHAIBANKING	ASSURANCE COMPANY. Hougkong, 1st January, 1890.   74	King's Dandelion Pills	"HAITAN." Captain S. Ashton, will be despatched for the	
January 2, GIARN, British steamer, 1,410, W Murri agasaki 28th December, Coals.	Hougong, 28th December, 1889. 122  W B R E W E R HAS FOR SALE	CORPORATION.  P CAPITAL \$7,500,000	NOTICE.  HAVE This Day commenced Business as a	" Ointment \$0.45 Pills \$0.45	above Ports on SUNDAY, the 5th inst., at DAYLIGHT.  For Freight or Passage, apply to	IN BANKRUPTCY.
JARDINE THESON & Co.	Chrismas Nos. of Graphic, Illustrated Lon-	VE FUND	SHARE & GENERAL BROKER.  J. GRANT.	Lamplough's Saline	DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers.	In the Matter or CHAU UT NAM, trading with others under the Style of "WING
A. Dorff, dakan 27th December, Timber,	Lette and Smith's Diaries.	COURT OF DIRECTORS:— W. H. FORBES, Esq.—Chairman.	Marine House, Hongkong, 1st January, 1890. [75]	### Pills ### \$3.50    Mellin's Food for Infants ### \$0.60    Morrison's Pills #### \$0.45	"BEN" LINE OF STEAMERS.	CHEONG." Bankrupt.  OTICE is hereby given that a MEETING
January 2, Coonien, French steamer, 2,175,	Tare, intrody a darent	DALRYMPLE, Esq.—Deputy Chairman.  brodie, Esq.   S. C. Michaelsen, Esq.  avies, Esq.   J. S. Moses, Esq.	RAR. EDWARD W. MITCHELL takes	Naldire's Dog Soap\$0.45 Nauraline \$0.45		will be held before the Registrar of the said
Alexandth, Port Said 7th, Suez 8th,	Lett Scales, Despatch Boxes.	J. Keswick. L. Poemeuker, Esq. E. A. Solomon, Esq.	Hongkong from this date.  CALDBECK, MACGREGOR & Co.	O. S. Tooth Blocks	BENLEDI."	Court, on THURSDAY, the 16th day of January, 1890, at 12 of the clock at Noon precisely, for the purpose of declaring a Dividend.
and Sai 30th, Mails and General.—MES.	Criceter's Tape Measure.	CHIEF MANACER. Hongkong G. E. Noble. Esq.	Hongkong, 1st January, 1890. 176  NOTICE.	Pond's Extract \$0.50 Powell'd Balsam \$0.80	Captain Clark, will be despatched as above ou or about the 11th inst.	Creditors who have not yet proved must do, so on or before the said 16th doy; f January, 1890.
January 2, 1964. German str., 1,450, Enters. Hambi and Singapore 26th December.	Pho Serap Albums all sizes.	MANAGER. Shanghai—John Walter, Esq. In Bankers—London & County Bank.	R. JAMES DUKE MONRO and Mr.	Rigollot's Mustard Léaves \$0.45 Dr. Rooke's Oriental Pills \$0.45 Rowland's Macassar Oil \$1.20	GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,	Dated the 2nd day of Junuary, 1890.  EDW. J. ACKROYD,  Registrar
Gener Siemssen & Co.  DEOPGIETTA American bark, 436,	Ne Sketch Books Fight Whatman's Drawing Paper.	Hongrong-Interest Allowed.	have been This Day admitted Partners in our	, 'Golden'\$2.20	Bongkong, 3rd January, 1890 (111)	PUBLIC AUCTION.
Franciaston, Albany (W.A.) 16th Nov., Sandsod.—GILMAN & Co.	Set Caporal Cigarettes. Ching Tongs and Lamp complete.	Current Deposit Account at the rate of ent. per Annum on the daily balance.  Fixed Deposits:—	been carried on in the name of our Senior.	Russian Isinglass \$0.60 Saunder's Face Powder \$0.40 Savaresse's Santal Oil Capsules \$1.50	STEAM TO SHANGHAI. THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship	THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction,
CLEARANCES.	No Porcelain Menu Stands. Shetz Modorn Chess Instructor.	Ebr. S months 3 per Cent. per Annum.	Mr. T. W. RICHARDSON, will be Continued at 10, Austin Friers, under the Style of RICHARDSONS.	Savory and Moore's Infant's Food\$0.40 Scott's Liver Pills\$0.45	Will leave for the above place about 24 hours	TO-MORROW, the 4th January, 1890, at 3 p.m., at his. Sales Rooms, Queon's Road,
AT THARROUR MASTER'S OFFICE.  SIST DECEMBER.	Cimbers's Encyclopædia, New Issue, 4 vois WALTER W. BREWER,	LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.	BRADLEY & Co. Swatow, 1st January, 1890. [77]	Pilis	after her arrival with the next outward English	An Invoice of White Pink, and Red JAPANESE CAMELLIA PLANTS.
Toonan, ness str., for Shanghai.  Haiphoniritish str., for Saigon.	THE	description of Banking and Exchanges is transacted.  FIR granted on London and the chief	NOTICE.	Soden Mineral Pastilles	Superintendent. Hongkong, 3rd January, 1890. [1	An Assortment of CONIFERS & JAPAN- ESE LILY BULBS.  1 Terms of Sale.—As-onstomary.
Phra Ch Chom Klao, Brit. str., for Bangkok.	COLLEGE CHAMBERS,	Parcial places in Europe, India, Australia, coa, Chine and Japan.	July last.	Waseline, in 11b. tins	STEAMBHIP "CALEDONIEN."	J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer. Hongkong, 3rd January, 1890.   110
Wissen crean str. for Shanghai.	he prepared for THE HOLIDAY SEASON	G. E. NOBLE, Chief Manager. gkong, 29th November, 1889.	A. SCHOMBURG & Co. Hoihow   1st January, 1890.   178	Wilkinson's Sarsaparilla \$1.50 Winslow's Scothing Syrup \$0.45 Wright's Coal Tar Scap	MARITIMES	Hongkong, 3rd January, 1890.
Don Judpanish str. for Amoy.  Amr. ship, for New York.	a scial large stock of URNITURE AND UPHOLSTERY	NOTICE.	NOTICE.	Wyeth's Dialysed Iron \$1.00  Ridge's Rood for Infants \$41.45	NOTICE	
Oanfa, lish str., for Shanghai.	otheir own unequalled manufacture, which hey are prepared to sell DURING THE PRESENT MONTH	LES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.	our Firms in Hongkong and China Ceased.	Calvert's Carbolio Toilet Scap per box) \$0.60	ONSIGNEES of Cargo from London, Ex S. S. Douro, from Havre, Ex S. S. Guadiona and Douro, and from Bordeaux, Ex S.	NFORMATION has been received from
DEPARTURES. Decemi31, Chi-Tuev. Chinese steamer, for	or SPECIALLY REDUCED RATES.		S. J. DAVID & Co.	Pears Scented 1/. Oval Scap Tablets \$0.35	5—S. Fred. Moret and Fills de Lille, in connection 5 Leith whose Steamer are beraby informed that	TILLERY PRACTICE will take place at
Sheat. German str., for Haiphong	ANDSOME DRAWING ROOM SUITE	Hing Corporation, on their premises in though Business hours on week-days, 10	n Nomice	A. S. WATSON & CO., LD.  Hongkong, 19th December, 1889.	Treasure, and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risks at the Company's Godowns	to WEDNESDAY, the 15th January (Sundays excepted) between the hours of 9 A.M. and
Japuar, Doris, German str., for Hollow-	TIPPARY SETS, in BEST MOROCCO.	Saturdays, 10 to 1.	MR. DAVID REUBEN SASSOON and Mr. REUBEN MEYER MOSES, have This Day been admitted Partners in our	C HAMPAGNE. VIN BRUT, ROYAL CUVEE.	at Bowrington, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after lauding.  Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless	The line of fire will be in a South Westerly direction from the Battery.
Janual, GANGES, British str., for Europe, ac Janual, Phopontis, British str., for Kutch	WARDROBES, with BEVELLED MIRRORS	Depositors in the Savings Bank having	DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.	AS SUPPLIED TO	before 10 A.M., TO-MORROW (FRIDAY), re-	08 14 14- lines clock of the Range
Januar, CRINA, German steamer, for Swater	DRESSING TABLES with MARBLE To	Over the same to the Hongkong and Shang- anking Corporation on fixed deposit for	Hongkong, 1st January, 1890. (82) NOTICE.	H.R.H. THE DUKE OF EDINBURGH,	questing it to be landed here.  Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the	A. LISTER, Acting Colonial Scoretary.
Januar, Ohina Juan, Spatish str., for Manil Januar, Haiphong, British str., for Saigo	OD MANTE	Inthe at 5 per cent. per annum interest.	TIME INTEREST AND RESPONSIBILITY	H.I.M. THE LATE EMPEROR FREDERICK OF GERMANY.	Goods remaining unclaimed after THURS DAY, the 9th inst., at Noon, will be subject to	to Finished Francisco
Janual, Phra Chula Caom Milao, Ditual stior Bangkok. Janual, Sin Nanzing. British str., for fe	fo Inst Received a Selected Stock of	Each Donositor will be supplied creatis	is and Publishing business CEASED on the	The special feature of this Wine is that it is fermented juice of the grape solely, without the addition of candy, syrup, or liqueur of	- per diem.  f All Claims must be sent in to me on or before	WING to the Absence of Assistants on
Janua <sup>2</sup> ; Sin Nanzing. Spit Str., 101 Mila. Janua <sup>2</sup> , Tai Lee, Germin str., for Nagasa	FURNITURE COVERINGS,	Pass-Book, which must be presented with payment or withdrawal. Depositors must wake any entries themselves in their Pass-	R. CHATTERTON WILCOX.	any kind.  A DRY CHAMPAGNE to be palatable	the 11th instant, or they will not be recognized.	pectively the Astronomical work in the Hong-
Janua 2, Toonan, Chinese str., for Shangh Janua 2, Kwongsang, British str.; for Wha	#1. Honokong, 2nd November, 1005	but should send them to be written up	p ITH Reference to the above the said business will be CONTINUED by	must be made of the finest raw material.—A SWEET CHAMPAGNE can be made of almost any material. The excessive quantity of	G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent.	kong Observatory Ceases from the 2nd January till further notice. An endeavour will be made. to have the daily Meteorological Reports con-
Janua Z. R. WOMGSAN,	(LATE THE HALL & HOLTE CO-OPERATION	Gry and beginning of July. Correspondence as to the business of the life marked On Hongkong Savings Bank	D. WARRES SMITH.	sugar in the latter masky completely its original character.	Hongkong, 2nd January, 1890. (2	tinued as usual:  W. DOBERCK
PASSENGIRS.	COMPANY, LIMITED.) NOTICE.	h Post Offices in Hongkong and China.	Hongkong, lat January, 1890. 181 NOTICE.	NATURAL CHAmP/GNE will agree with persons to whom the Swe sened Champagnes are injurious; it is a true stimulant to mind and	SINGAPORE.	Houghong, lat January, 1890. 1113 ELLY & WALSH, LIMITED
Perlivine, str., from Pikhoi, &c -30 ii-	As sufficient Shares have been applied	Withdrawals may be made on demand, sepersonal attendance of the Depositor or ly appointed Agent, and the production of	T. MATR. JOHN WEIER has been admitted a	body, rapid, volatile, transitery, and harmless. This Natural Champagne is recommended as	"FRIGGA,"  Captain Eblers, having arrived from the	Imperial English and Chinese Diary.
Peffaiphong, str., from Swatow.—58 al-	to float the above Company, the business will	Tas-Book are necessary.  In the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank-		being really dry, not by means of artificial addi- tions, but because in it, the natural process of fermentation has been completed.	above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby	— Imperial English and Chinese Date Blocks.  Account Books in a variety of sizes, bindings, and rulings.
Franco, &c Miss M. Jakson, Miss Ham.	e, requests from intending Subscribers the Sh.	G. E. NOBLE,	NOTICE.	Agents for Hongkong,	countersignature by the Undersigned and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.	Photo Ecrap Albums, full size.
and Akin.	January 1st, 1890.	JE NEW ORIENTAL BANK	R. Y. A. GUBBAY has This Day been admitted a Partner in my business of SHARE & GENERAL BROKER which	LIMITED, NO. 92 & 94 OHEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL	Any Cares impeding her discharge will be	Benson's Silver and Gold Chronog raphs and
Pereking, str., from Singapore, 5-12	12 PEFERRING to the above notice with	CORPORATION, LIMITED	shall henceforward be carried on under the Style or Firm of R. & Y. GUBBAY.	· 454	stored at Consignees risk and expense.  No Claims will be admitted after the Goods	Watches.  "Pigs in Clover," a very an using puzzle.
Chine.  Per lintshire, str., from Sandakan — land	nd Closed until MONDAY MORNING NX	τ£ 580,000.		WATERBURY WATCHES, \$2.70.	have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining	Poker Chips, imitation ivory, with or without values; size of a penny.
lop, Knnedy, and Venis, ad 121 Chines. Per Trigga, str., from Hamburg, &c —essr	whole Stock will be arranged for a re- cess Clearance Sale. Full particulars next we.	Office40, THREADNEEDLE STREET.	NOTICE.  NOTICE.  NATR. ABDULLABHOY ALLARUKHIA	TWO DOLLARS & SEVENTY CENTS.	All broken, chafed, and damaged goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be	to Great Thoughts Puzzle, 15 cents.
Remlight, loansen, and Schulz, and Zentnes from Suggere Per Caldonien, str for Hongkong From Marseiles Mr. and Ms. C. L. da Ca an Marseiles Mr. and Ms. C. L. da Ca an	Otopi minor Santa	Sches in India, Persia, China, Japan and the Colonies.	N REHMTOOLLABHOY DATERDINA is	REPAIRS NEVER EXCEED 50 CENTS FOR EACH WATCH.	examined on the 8th inst., at 4 P.M.  No Fire Insurance has been effected.	Wills" Bristol Birds Eye. Wills Three Castles.
3 daughter Mr. anunes, A. Darotte de	nd NOTICE.  THE HONGKONG HOTEL COMP.	LE DANK manifest manage on Dangert	duly authorised to Sign and conduct the Business of our Firm in Chins.  Business of our Firm in Chins.	remittance for cost. THE MITSUI BUSSAN KAISHIA	Agents	Cope's Golden Cloud.  Sweet Coporal ( igarettes  How I lost £250,000 in Two Years, by Ernest
Mrs. J. Mais et M.Jades, Colonel Persons Salle Silva, Rev. Berthole Mesers. F. Marie Salle and danghter and Janeisso Lopez. http://doi.org/10.1008/j.jane.000000000000000000000000000000000000	LD. is now prepared to Supply Grant PIES, CHRISTMAS CAKES, &c. PICNIC PARTIES supplied with a	rs of Credit, forwards Bills for Collection, Transacts Banking and Agency Business	n, Hongkong, 30th December, 1889. [2721	(Sole Agents in Japan & China for the Sale of the above Watches)  10. Queen's Road Central,	"  SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLUMBO	Benson, the Jubilee Plunger.  Proctor on Strength:—How to Get-fing
Colonel W.A. Craer, Messre. Géo. He, Bar	guirements. Apply to	ally on terms to be had on application.  erest allowed on Deposits:—	E Have This Day Established a Branch	Opposite Marine House	ADEN, ISMALIA, PORT SAID.	and Keep Strong with chapters on Rowing, S, Swimming, Fat, Age and the Waist, \$1.00 Little Lord Fountleroy.
From Saigos —2 sters of St. Parand .	Manager.	for 12 months, 5 per Cent. per Annum. for 6 months, 4 per Cent. per Annum. for 3 months, 3 per Cent. per Annum.	SHARE AND GENERAL BROKERS, AND COM-		PLYMOUTH, AND LONDON;	New Yolume Badminton Library, Fencing.  Staunton's Practice of Chess.
Mrs. Tchereftkoft ic iniant, and his work. Ferrari. From Spapore.—Mr. V. Kucke	ker.	Current Deposit Accounts 2 per Cent. per m on the daily belance,		PUBLIC AUCTION	BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, ANI AUSTRALIA.	(20
For Yokohama. Toda Mr. and M. Soure	GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIO	AGENCY DEPARTMENT.	N connection with our Head Office at Bom-	JAPANESE PORCELAIN, BRUNZES, CURIOS, &c.	BILLS OF LADING FOR BATAVIA, PERSIAN	THE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED
inger and 1 SistorRevs. Brulay a Mayran Messrs. Nomura, émoto. S. odeim, a Goodison. From ugapore.—Mr. Opry.	PRETER in the Police Courts a	sotion of Personal Agency of every des-	bay, Messrs. S. N. TALATI & Co., we	THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction,	GULE PORTS, MARSEILLES, TRIESTE, HAN BURG, NEW YORK, AND BOSTON. Specie only landed at Plymouth.	NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.
EPANTED.	of English, of the Chinese written that	ion.  y and Pensions collected.	E. N. MEHTA & Co.	the 4th January, 1890, commencing at 2.30	to be a second of the second o	FROM GLASGOW. LIVERPOOL, AND
Bagram and serve and Chaw Yoshing.	Fokien, Techien, Cantonese, Hakka	nurances effected. Toular Notes and Letters of Credit issued.	Horigkong, 28th December, 1839.   2714   NOTICE.	JAPANESE WARE, CURIOS,	"ORIENTAL," Captain E. Stewart, with He Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from thi	er HE Company's Steamship
Per Gonges, at from Hongand Por a gapore.—Lieut. HI. B. A.h. Mraindlay.	and Salary \$900 per annum.	ency of the NATIONAL LIFE ASSURANCE	the undersigned, have for some years past	comprising :-	ary, 1890, at Noon.	n. baving arrived from the above ports, Consignees, of cargo are bereby informed that their Goods
A. Deid, and F. Ener. For Pen. MP. Coo.	over fitness for service.	Manager, Hongkong Branch.	known as, and under the name of, Moses. Solemon Silas, whereas my true and proper	FINE SATSUMA, KAGA, KYOTO, TOKYO, and IMARI VASES, JARS,	Oargo will be received on board untity of P.M., Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office	til are being landed at their risk, into the godowns ce of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and
From hanghai For London leases.  Donald and W. F. Llewellyn.	Mo be held at the Government Offices, Hong	37 DENTAL NOTICE.	MOSES SOLOMON SILAS SASSOON.  Now Notice is hereby given that on and	TEA and BREAKFAST SETS of NOVEL DESIGNS, &c., &c.,	Silk and Valuables for Europe will be tran shipped at Colombo Tea and Genera	al No Claims will be admitted after the Goods
in the state of th	of Examiners, Government Offices, boldre	Twenty five years' Practical Experience	of from this date I shall discontinue the use of the see name of MOSES SOLONON SILAS, and resume	VERY FINE CLOISONNE WARE such as VASES JARS, PLAQUES and BOXES	h Cargo for London will be conveyed via Bomba; without transhipment, arriving one week later	have left the Godowns, and all claims must be sent in to the office of the Undersigned before.  Noon on the 8th instant, or they will not be
The British stemer Oanfo. fr London.	trong they wish to be examined in.	Art.	he and will Sign all Contracts. Documents, and Letters in such 1 ame only.	l and BRONZE WARE; VERY HANDSOME INLAID CABINETS & PANELS, 1VORY	E For further particulars regarding FREIGHT and PASSAGE apply to the PENINSULAR 3	All broken, chafed, and damaged goods are to
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At the Blue Bungalow, on the lat January, 1890 to wife of E. JONES HUGHES, of a daughter. On the 1st January, 1890, at St. John's Place, Hongkong, the wife of G. E. Noble, of a daughter.

On the 27th November, at the Parish Church, Ho beach, by the Rev. Canon Hemmans, Vicar, assisted As to the new Company's "not contemplate to the virtuous." Their leaders got into the good by the Rev. J. H. Snokes. Vicar of Lutton. John BRADSIELD, late of Shanghai, to ELIZABETH EMPER. | ing competing with the established banks in INGHAM, daughter of J. W. Willders, solicitor, of Holbesch, Lincolnshire.

Hongkong, January 3rd, 1890.

THE North-China Herald, taking for its text | not deal. Even if the Company confine it. a leading article in a recent number of the self wholly to the latter the relief it will honour of the French Industrial Syndicate of good many hils and if only one party was China Overland Trade Report, bas under- afford will be very considerable; as it will taken to enlighten us as to the cause of the | set free for use in other directions a good recent stringency of the money market and | deal of capital which under present circumthe programme of the new Trust and Loan stances is locked up. Company. The China Overland Trade Report, according to our-Northern contemporary, "seems, as is very often done, to have confused tightness of money in the market, H. M. S. Conquest left Singspore for Trinwhich means a restriction of credit, with complete on the 23rd December. actual scarcity of sycee." The distinction. in reference to the actual circumstances under discussion, does not appear to be a very restriction of credit are not synonymous Island every morning from to-day notil the Syndicate for his remarks. terms, but the circumstances they indicate are so closely allied that the latter inevit. ably follows the former. Our contemporary lish mail, left Singapore at 1 p.m. on the 1st

dmits, indeed, that the action of CHARC inst. for this port. CHIR TUNG who had to collect neveral will-· lion taels in order to turn over the provincial tressury balance in hard silver, caused a scarcity of sycee in Hongkong, as that c the Vicercy TSENG KUO-CHUAN did in Shaughai, and in a later part of the article Francisco to the lath ultimo, has arrived at it shows us how at Shanghai this withdrawal Yokohama and will leave for this port today at of sycee "was marked by serious advances in the rate of native interest, which would of the native banks not to precipilite a com-

The Herald also thinks that the looking up of capital in public companies which have quarters, and the affairs of Coohin-China will in not begun to make any return has not future be administered from Tonquin as those of had much to do with the tightness of the Tonquin have hitherto been administered from money market, because the large sums sunk in those companies did not necessarily with-

transferred it from the pockets of the al-

lottees of shares to the companies' hankers.

transfer. It is quite true "the greater part

of it" was merely a paper transfer, but the

margin was quite large enough to make the

locking up of the money severely felt as

soon as the boom in the share market

ceased. New companies cannot be floated

without a certain amount of hard cash at

the back of them, and when the financial re-

sources of a commercial centre become unduly

strained a crisis and temporary restriction of

the crisis, it says " stocks had been run up

the reported depreciation of thirteen millions

in the value of shares in the Hongkone

Companies in the last four months, on pa-

of silver. The share crisic and the scarcity

current, but the former doos not seem to

peen run up absurdly or not may be a mat-

ter of opinion and must depend on what is

considered a fair return on capital. If a re-

turn of twelve per cent. is looked for no

per cent. be considered sufficient, then, so far

returns, time alone can show whether the

estimate formed of their value by investors

and speculators was extravagant or not.

some indifferently, but what caused the

collapse at the end of August was not

Some so doubt will turn out well and

general want of confidence in the stacks on l

their merits, but a general scarcity of money

apparently left out of its calculations the

our local joint stock undertakings—an extent

by the ex-Viceroy of Canton of some six or

with the banks here and had passed into

The fact is the business of the Colony

has been extending rather faster than

its financial resources, and we are in a posi-

make the large profits which the buyers of

founders' shares at £100 expect, out of

starting and financing other companies here.

the confidence of the directors of the new

Company, but it is safe to say that as mer

of common sense, if they are going to fin.

not hesitate to make advances on the shares

ing no profitably. At to the amount

doubt be called up when it is required, but

chiefly from the money the Company will

Buk amount to ten times the Bink's capital.

bus somewhat outgrown the resources of

the present banks was one of the reasons

that had called the Trust and Loan Com-

pany into existence; another being to ad-

vance on securities with which the Banks do

The delivery of the French mail was begun

We hear that Mr. Fritz Lammort has been

As notified in our advertisement columns,

The Superintendent informs us that the P. &

Amongst the papers to be read at the forth-

coming meetings of the Royal Colonial Institute

is one by Mr. William Keswick on " Hongkong

The Agent informs us that the O. &

steamer Goelio, with muils &c., from San

and its Trade Connections," on Jan, 14th.

O. steamer Clyde, with the next outward Eng-

appointed clerk to the Puisne Judge.

at 5.30 p.m. yesterday.

that will be afforded, which will

that represents only a fraction of the relief!

not out of loan business." We are not

stocks down.

quite sufficient to make any scarcity

all. With regard to the newer

The Tokyo Shoggo Shimpo says that a Frenchdraw money from Hongkong, but only man who has been engaged in the manufacture of the cloisonné ware in France, with a staff of Japanese, has found business so successful that he is about to make extensions. He is at prethe greater part of it being merely a paper sent procuring more artists from Kyoto.

> The subjoined announcement appears in the London Gazette of the 26th November : - Downing street. Nov. 23rd.—The Queen has been pleased to appoint Charles Vandeleur Crearh Esq. to be Governor and Commandor-in-Chief of the colony of Labnan and its dependencies.

At Singapore on the 21st December the steamer St. Dunston fell across the bows of the Conquest and sustained some damage below the water line, and, in order to prevent her sinking. she was beached near the Esplanade. On the 24th, just as she got off the ground, she went up against the steamer Hecate and damaged the our contemporary thinks the launching of so Hecate's yards, bridge, and railings to the exmany new companies had little to do with tent of about \$500. The Straits Times understands that Mesers. Mansfield intend to press the owners of the St. Dunstan to make good so absurdly that a smash was certain, and the damage to the Hecate.

A telegram in the San Francisco Chronicle dated Ottawn, Nov. 29th, says :- The Dominion Minister of Customs states that it is not the inper, makes no difference to the actual stock | tention of the Government to modify the Act restricting Chinese immigration at this session of Parliament, as has been stated, unless the people of silver in Hongkong happened to be con- of British Columbia domand it. He holds the opinion that for a long time to come the prohave any more connection with the latter for the development of her resources. At prethan the latter has with the Hongkong sent, he says, British Columbia is losing a large Bank's loss at Lyons." Whether stocks had proportion of her Chinese population, who are pouring over into the United States.

According to the Shogye Shimpo, there seems to be on foot a scheme for constructing a handcar railway between Odawara and Atami. Among the projectors of the undertaking we find the doubt there was undue inflition, but if six names of Messrs. Hiranuma Senze, Takashima Kaemon, and Mogi Sobei, of Yokohama, an Messrs. Okura Kihachiro and Yokoyama Ma as the old companies are concerned, there goichiro of Tokyo. The Nippon Doboku Kaisho could not be said to be any inflation at (Japan Engineering Company) is reported to have declared itself roady to contract for the line at 200,000 yen, the estimated distance being panies which have not commended to make about 13 miles. But our contemporary is m certain whether the project will be carried out

A grand dinner has been given at the Hotel | the Deputy Registrar, C. F. A. Sangster, Esq., falsely Continental. Paris, to many members of the and maliciously spoke and published of and concern-Government and authorities of the late Exhibition by Viscount Tanaka, the Japanese Minister in Paris, and the Japanese Commission, | false pretences" and that the plaintiff was a "fraud" on the occasion of its near departure. Coverawere laid for sixty, amongst the guests being M. Spuller, Minister for Foreign Affairs, who coupled with the failure of one or two large warmly drank to the Empire of Japan, wishing gamblers. Our Northern contemporary has it prosperity and advancement. His remarks \$1,000 and his costs of suit. were translated into Japanese by M. Yanagiya Secretary of the Japanese Legation, and all the extent to which Chinese are interested in Japanese rose and in turn thanked M. Spuller .-London and China Express.

The well known volcano Asama-yama has bromoney in native circles have a depressing ken out again. A telegram published by the effect on the share market. The withdrawal Japanese Official Gazette says that at fifteen minutes past 3 o'clock on the morning of the 24th December, loud noises emanated from the seven million taels which had been placed volcano, and an unusual volume of smoke poured from the crater. These phenomena continued for about thirty minutes. Another circulation necessarily brought the price of telegram from Gumma Prefecture reports that the mountain broke into eruption its northern side at the time mentioned, and that quantities of sand were ejected. A third tologram from Tochigi Profecture says that during au interval of about 24 hours from the night of the 23rd December, showers of hot tion similar to that of a tradesman who finds

sand were twice ejected from the mountain.

his capital too small for his growing business. On the morning of the 23th December, says The Trust and Loan Company is coming to the Mercury, the neighbourhood of Shanghai our speciatance—ut least the Overland Trade experienced a sharp shock of earthquake. Seve-Report assumed so, but the Herald tells ral residents who were aroused from their sleep us that the assistance from that quarter will bythe disturbance took the time, which by comnot be very great. "The large capital." parison appears to have been at 2.18. The shock says our contemporary, " which the Comwas not sufficiently strong to set doors or windows rattling. One resident, who with his wife of his profession. He was appearing on behalf of of Asia is only nominal." The mid-up versadah continued to shake for a second of costs: supital is to be only £125,000, and it is ob or two afterwards. So far as we can learn no damage was done. One observer states that the motion of the earth was accompanied by a contemplating competing with the establishrumbling sound resembling distant thunder. The shock was felt from the lower end of Honged banks in the loan business. . . . The kew to the Carter Road.

In a report on the trade of Hongkong for 1883 Consul Withers save several important changes have been effected during the year and many new enterprises floated. A number of Ordinunces were enacted by the Levislative t'oun oil, but with one exception, the "Vagrancy Or din ince," they do not affect the interests of the United States. This may operate disastronely for shipmasters, owners or agents, for it very ance the stocks of new Companies they will often happens that a master of a vessel ships a those items?—No. They were allowed. foreign crew in a foreign port to be discharged here in good faith. On account of large that judgment?-The application was made to of old Companies, when their funds and the advances the crow has very little money, and i condition of the market admit of their do- consequence the boarding-houses will not take them in, so that the master-frequently has t pay a sum of money to the boarding-house mascapital they are going to introduce the re- ter to keep the men, in order to escape the mainder of the capital of £1,000,000 will no operations of the above Ordinance.

A New York telegram in a Californian paper. dated the 2nd ult., says: - Chinatown has another city not to be behind San Francisco in the of summons and had not attended the issue. possession of an organization of highbinders. receive on deposit and lend out. The de- The story is that about a week ago some 150 men posits with the Hongkong and Shanghai without visible means of support, organized themselves into a band called the Po Leon Hong, ts alloged object being "the protection guaranteed graces of several influential Chinamen who are under pay as Christian missionaries. From the the loan business," it has been generally latter they managed to get a little financial aid understood that the fact that this business | toward defraying temporary expenses. Then they made an attempt to black-mail Chinese dens and gambling houses, and the recent raids were caused by several of these refusing to pay the amount demanded. A Brooklyn Chineso preacher

A banquet was given at Rouen on Nov. 25th in Indo China. Covers were laid for forty guests. M. Etienne. Under-Secretary for the Colonies. who presided, in addressing those present said review of the taxation, he did not make any that all European nations recognised the necessity for expansion in the colonies, especially in presence of the possibility of the establishment of an American ustoms Union. Referring to Tonquin, M. Etienne said :- "We must remain they can reach Chins-namely, by Siam and Burmah. Tonquin is a fortunate acquisition China. It will be an eternal honour for M. Ferry, and Europe will envy us its possession before long.' M. Richard Waddington thankimportant one. Actual scarcity of sycee and there will be artillery practice at Stoneoutters' ed the Under-Secretary on behalf of the

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

SUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS." LONDON, 31st December. MR PARNELL A CO-RESPONDENT. A divorce suit has been instituted by Captain O'Shea, the co-respondent being Mr. Parnell. DEATH OF THE EMPRESS OF BRAZIL

The Empress of Brazil is dead. MOVEMENTS OF MR. STANLEY. Mr. Stauley has started for Egypt.

PROM-SINGAPORE PAPERS.]---London, 19th December.

a lapse of nearly ten years since the first forma- THE CLEVELAND STREET SCANDAL tion of the company. They have now five large At the instance of the Treasury summontes his duties you got the taxation? No. Mr. best for his client and was not too particular microscopic and a small one, with all other recessary At the instance of the Treasury summontes his duties you got the taxation? No. Mr. best for his client and was not too particular microscopic and the instance of the Treasury summontes his duties you got the taxation? No. Mr. best for his client and was not too particular microscopic and the instance of the ins machinery for sworking, and everything is in the set in

The object of rummoning these persons is to notice P-No

The Governor-General of French Indo-China refute the alleged connivance of the Government | Did I not beyon by word of month that is making Hanoi, instead of Palgon, his head in the escape of the prominent offenders. LONDON, 20th December.

THE INFLUENZA EPIDEMIC. The epidemic is seriously interfering with both public and private business on the Continent, and has now spread to America. LONDON, 21st December.

THE EMPEROR OF GERMANY. The En perer has been confined to his bed for two days with a feverish cold, but is better. LONDON, 23rd December. THE DISCONTENT IN BRAZIL.

Reports from Rio de Janeiro state that there are growing signs of discontent in the Rio provinces, and there has been a slight mutiny of the soldiers.

HAVAS TELEGRAMS. PARIS, 21st December. DIFFERENTIAL TARIFFS IN The Chamber of Deputies has passed the Bill

relative to the abelition of differential tariffs. PARIS, 22nd December. The Italian Press universally expresses satis

differential dues. SUPREME COURT.

2nd January.

In SUMMARY JURISDICTION. BREORE MR. A. G. WICE. ACTING PUISNE JUDGE, AND A SPECIAL JURY. WEBBER v. BRANDT.

This was an action for \$1,000 damages for alleged slander. was for the plaintiff; and the defendant con. client. ducted his own case.

The jurors were Messrs. E. R. Belilies. G. C. Inderson and J. Grant Smith. Mr. Phillippo said this was an action brought by the plaintiff, a solicitor practising in this colony, against Oscar Brandt, a commission agent. The slander complained of was uttered in the Registry of the Court on the 2nd December. The petition of the plaintiff was as follows :-1.—The plaintiff is a s ligitor of the Supreme Court f Hongkong and is engaged in the practice of his profession in Victoria in this colony.

2.—The defendant is a commission agent of 3.-On the 2nd day of December, 1889, the defendant at the Supreme Court House in the presence of ing the plaintiff, while the plaintiff was actually engaged in the practice of his said profession as a solicitor, the words following—"Obtaining money under meaning thereby that the plaintiff was a cheat and had defrauded persons, whereby the plaintiff has been

And the said John Francis Webber claims damages 1.—The defendant admits paragraph 1 of the plain-

2.—The defendant is a merchant and commission age at of Victoria. Hongkong. 3.—In reply to paragraph 3 of the said petition the defendant denies that he made use of the words obtaining money under false pretances" of and concerning the plaintiff upon the occasion mentioned in better got it. The slander uttered by the defendant. the said paragraph, but admits that he made use of | dant had done him harm." He had const words to a somewhat similar effect, and the defendant | do business with Mr. Sangster and be had donies that he said of and concerning the plaintiff that the plaint if was a fraud as alleged either on the 4.—In further reply the defendant save the w. rds

so spoken by the defendant of and conce ning the l intiff were privileged, inasmuch as they were addressed on public officer, the Deputy Registrar of this Honorable Court, acting in the performance of a public duty in which the plaintiff and the defendant were personally interested. And the defendant further says that the words so sno en by the defendant as aforesaid of and con-

cerning the plaintiff were and are true. And the defendant further says that plaintiff has offered no damage. C. F. A. Sengster, Deputy Registrar of the Supreme Court, said-1 remember on the 2nd

December some words passing between plaintiff and defendant on the occasion of my taxing the bill of costs in the case of Samuel v. Brandt The words used were either "obtaining"-or was momentary and seemed to be vertical, but "getting"-" money ander false pretences." Mr Wobber was present atothe time in the practica was awakened by the shock, said that his Mr. Samuel for the purpose of taxing a bill of costs:

Cross-examined by Mr. Brandt—Was not the good but a man in possession but asked for a stay of execution until the settle and of sper cent, for five months since Comhill re-taxed?—Yes, it was on the second occa-

> sion that these words were spoken. I'an you tell me why that bill came to be taxed a second time ?-I do not know what conversation took place between you and Mr. Webber, but the Registrar said I had better tax the bill again as you were not present on the first occasion. Did Mr. Webber give you any reason for my not being present P-No.

> Did he say he had given me notice?-I asked him if you had had notice and he said you had. As you did not appear I proceeded with the taxation. There is one entry on the bill. "drawing and engrossing a writ of summons 32." and another "attending the issue of same, St. Did Mr. Webber say anything to you about Did Mr. Webber apply for execution under

the office in the usual way. You received instructions from the Registrar made his statement as follows: -On to tax the Bill again ?-Yes, and I did so on the 2nd December; I asked you what objectious you

to Mr. Webber and I had to stop you and tell you I must go on taxing the bill. Afterwards applied several times for an adjournment you said you objected, I think, to everything. sensation, based on a story which would show this You said Mr. Webber had not drawn up the writ appeared for the first time. Directly said I considered that if Mr. Webber had attended to obtain the copy of the writ of summons, it faxed. I afterwards sent a letter to amounted to the same thing and I allowed the ber asking to have the costs taxed.

an indispatable trick to get, money out of me by Webber saying the costs were taxed as this taxation ?-No. Did I not say that Mr. Webber had gone be- 29th November. I saw Mr. Webber hind my back?-I think you did, but I can- evening and he accosed me by asking not be certain. I only remember distinct pay in a month. I said " How can I pa ly your saying something as to obtaining money I have received no notice about faxation under false pretences. When everything was said "If you don't way up, I shall tak the words "fraud" and "obtaining money under met the bailiff and he presented me with Mountait to the Pacific Ocean. It is believed is among the number accused of entering into false pretences" used. I said I had heard the rant. I had no choice but to pay the mo

words "obtaining money under false pretences" but not the word "fraud In re-examination the witness said he taxed a present he proceeded with the taxation if he was satisfied the other side had notice. In the alteration on his first taxing. John Francis Webber, plaintiff, said- never been done. I said it was a delibering even do not fread upon each other's heels

The first taxation took place on the 28th tempt of Mr. Webber's to get morners to bare no great floods or famines to liged the sing of schools aftracthan. November. There was a second taxation of me by means of a trick behind me oport is true we have had the riot which on the 2nd December as Brandt said he had Mr. Webber said "You will mark those lid nobme off, the steamer which did not not had proper notice. I looked at the notice Mr. Sangster, as I shall bring an actione, also great Luchow fire which burned selves be outdistanced by the English people, who sad found that by a clerical error in the never said on any occasion that Mr. Webban mortildings and people than the city connever rest, and who possess two routes by which form of notice the date had been omitted. I fraud. Mr. Sangster showed the items I thinked at it will hardly do to expect such saw the Registrar. He said there had better be ed to and said if I was dissatisfied I had tems translicated ad libitum. another taxation and I agreed. I did everything for France, inasmuch as it leads more directly to in my power to give the defendant another taxation when I found out there had been a son present when I made the remark bonden Having heard that the rice crop in

second taxation?—He said "I am going to in-dict you at the Police Court for obtaining money vilege, contending that in making his rementing folly in opposing the coming of Did Brandt make any remarks to you at the under false pretences." He made use of abusive before Mr. Sangster, an officer acting judiche und steamer. A little knowledge, how terms and called me a fraud and a cheat. I did not say anything, but called Mr. Sangster's it before a Court The circumstances excuse writer since he has the misfortune Cross-examined—I have a letter of the 27th indeed, and whom he came before Mr. Samently described as a "place on the way to DEPARTURE PRINCE ALBET VICTOR FOR attention to the words used afterwards. November from you. In it you ask me to get he full it to be his duty to protest as strong!! un! The fact is that though there the costs in the case of Samuel v. Brandt taxed possible. Such a charge as was made for are stof scarcity and seasons of plenty. as you wished to pay them.

you a copy of the bill of costs. taxation f-I presume so. It should have been. Can you remember how it was issued?—I can that the date in the notice supplied to him placed it was slight may be inferred from Bouthern In has been vel pleasant,—10 not. These forms are printed and the date filled purposely omitted for the sake of obtaining the the price has risen only about 10 socident and litch. in after the Registrar has fixed a date. I found money by false representations. That beingper die still not half as dear as it was in . THE ENGLIAND THE FORUGUESE IN this had not been done and agreed to a re-taxa he submitted he was perfectly justified the the Chungking riot. The Sacobuan

Did you not review the bill P-No.

Not in the itel !- No. Not in the U?-No.

Were you sor when I saw you there?-K How many finks had you then had-I don't know. Ehaps a couple of sherries. In the case ognoned v. Brandt, who ided the writ?-I bave Mr. Samuel personal How came yothen to charge for doing Mr. rangates b already told you the iterwas: allowed as it washe same as for attendan obtain copies.

people for work in have not done P-Neve

to rely on my cler

faction with the vote of the Chamber abolishing nearly all the bills "Summary cases. early all the buts annuary cases.

When you issued he execution againse, as compensation for the damage he had suffered, petition of a similar pity. what instructions di you give the bailing

> do notremember. Did you not tell be that if he did not me money at once he weto seize my furnitud do not remember. In almost sure that I di You are on friend! terms with Mr. Sauti -As Registrer. But he lives with ou?—No. He has 'ived with ou?-Yes, last year'

You are on very atimate terms with Fraser Smith !-- Vor.

ing. Ac., on the other sle !-- I probably if I thought it necessar. to apply for the protector of the Court protection against maP-No. I would no

n consequence?—Certairly you have. tunity of insulting me and my clients.

eighteen months.

going into these matters. In re examination the witness said he have asked the bailiff if he-had got the from Brandt when the execution was issue

ed in reputation by having such a sta made about him in Mr. Saugater's present J. Samuel said he had had a case Mr. Brandt and obtained judicme t. 7th October he met Brandt in and Brandt called him a scamp and a Witness said to him "You will hear Webber about this " and Brandt said " H

other swindler. this evidence. They were not suing of was said on that date. Mr. Phillippo said it showed malice

Court, examined by the defendant, said got that money from Brandt." that effect and Mr. Brandt afterwar the plaintiff.

- Edward J. Ackroyd, Registrar of the 3 the plaintiff and refused to stay execution. Court, said he rememberedMr. Brandt his office on the 30th November, and com that taxation had gone on in his absence his having received a notice without any Witness saw. Mr. Webber and then pointment for the first taxation. filled in in the original one he signed.

sometimes by himself. There was n told Mr. Webber that there must be taxation and Mr. Webber said he was qu some time and believed him to be perf liable and trustworthy.

November Samuel obtained judgment costs against me. Mr. Webber was What did I answer?-You went on talking Samuel. The writ of summons was the 18th October by Samuel persons was on the 27th November that Mr. was given I wanted to pay the amount told I could not do so until the co received a bill of costs and a blank n Were not the words that I used, that this was got no further notice except a letter for immediate payment. That was then went to see Mr. Ackroyd and he simultanessy from Tomsk, Stretensk and Mr. Webber. Mr. Ackroyd said I was V to another taxation as I had had no noti first one. We then went before Mr. S. Mr. Sangster asked me my objections. him I objected to the charge for draw writ of summons and engrossing it. I

apply to the judge. I did so and his

Webber was Mr. Saugster. he was in the same position as though he hanges it! However, we can readily which this money was got out of him we be lident of a port which we have retwo items was perfectly unwarraptable and faug an unbeard-of thing in this pro-What answer did you make to that? I sent was bound to object to it. Having got this incoffour successive years the rice crop

making the remark he did. He knew prote a population probably equal to When did you serve this bill of costs on me? Sangator was a personal friend of Mr. Webbithaderman Empire, has always been, to -I did not serve it; my clerk did. He drew and there was therefore no occasion to a referent, self-sustaining. Hemmed of the subdicipl Makololo at his followers and shere was the first mode of expression in these with a rapid river as her chief by Major Pins meraly an order was version though strangers had been present. North depended for the most part on of the repute Makololo's clack on Major Webber had told them that he always did the state and manufactures. With im- Pinto, an acut of which we published in

It had been called forth by the altempt to get they have nined to open permanent work money out of him to which Mr. Webber had no in this cit hears. Upcroft and Warner, of right at all and he confidently, under the cir- the Amerikanta, after spending a fortoumstances, asked them for a verdict. Mr. Phillippo said this was an action brought, tion at Suchwhich is about two hundred miles

Mr. Braudt was justified in using the terms he The former is dependent on steamer comdid by what had gone before. He had ex- munication he latter. ceeded altogether the bounds of moderation when he stated that the money was obtained Do you cometies manage to get moneyou under false pretences. Mr. Brandt asked in his petition for a verdict on the ground that the It was only ithis instance then theou words used were true. He did not think the tried it on? -I.d. not. I did not see theil jury would believe that Mr. Webber had been I am not able to the present statistics of of costs and did & know in what form iwas. guilty of fraud or got his living by obtaining membership, bow that it is somewhat over money under false pretences. Mr. Webber had one hundred. small number is doubtless. Do you not loo over your bills of cos admitted that there had been a mistake, but have due to the fact the work is, for the most Rarely in Summy cases. I am quite ving ing found it out he had done everything in part, very nowly station but Changking his power to rectify it. It was difficult to and Chentu have a opened within the last You throw it alon the back of yourerk see how he could do more than agree to have three years. the bill re-taxed in Mr. Brandt's presence. The Catholic maries are manifesting in-How much haryon to refund to me 33. He would ask the jury to put themselves creased activity fiding operations. After Practically it was dy \$1 as you had to pay \$2. in the place of the plaintiff. What would they so long a time the about to begin to rebuild. What was thereason that Mr. Saler think as business men, if in their professions, the residences where burned in the riot. taxed the bill of cos and not Mr. Ackroy-1 they were accused of obtaining money under So far they have rebuilt the cathedral, do not remember think the Registrates false pretences and of fraud. The accusation which has been this of stirring up so much was a most serious one against the plaintiff, who feeling against if A new and en arged Is it not a fact tot Mr. Ackroyd alwayses had to learn his livelihood by means of his pro- girls' school and nu are also, in contemplathe bills?—No. Ithink: Mr. Sangsteres fession, and he asked for a judgment for the tion. It is to be that they will be per-

but also as a lesson to the defendant that he could not be allowed to go about slandering pound of the America sionaries by a Thankswhomsoever he pleased. His Lordship said it was unnecessary for him pleasant time. I see p put the dinner first. toenter into legal distinctions as between what was It certainly was first order of time, whatwritten and what was spoken, that was, slander ever it may have been be estimation of the and libel. With regard to slander the words spoken were not actionable per as unless some special damage was shown. In this case no special damage had been shown by the plantiff. But the most of whom we residents. there was one exception to this which had been Some open porter wild new alarger company: When you address judge in Court and allowed and that was when the words were That the Chinese Sment has not yet very particular about the terms you used of a man in the practice of his profession adopted a postal system fact to which wo very particular about the veries you used for office, he was not bound to prove special inland residents are pain slive. There are leged slander.
Mr. G. J. Phillippe, instructed by Mr. Rodyk, fessional licence. I to do my best by damage. His lordship having briefly returned three hongs which mak their business to capitulated the facts of the case, said the evid- carry the mails between kow and Chung-Do you not cast imputations of forget once before them showed nothing while could king. In the ordinary so of events the lead them to doubt the bond fides of he plain- mail reaches us in from twithree weeks after tiff. The date had been left out of the it leaves Hankow. Somet, however, when Is it not a fact that i other cases I had notice by his clerk, but he did not think they the loads are unusually v. a package is could hold that that had been done from a dumped down at some side station to you?—Not that I know of; your manus wrong motive. Defendant had set up two wait for the next carrier rhaps the next usually been most objectionable towards to defences, first privileges and second that the man, instead of taking it upcludes that his Perhaps it is you then who have apply words were true. With regard to the first own load is too heavy, and sows the examthe field that that was not an occasion where ple of his predocessor. privilege could be claimed. With regard to the You have appeared in a rood many cases Words being true it was not likely that the Deputy me. Have I ever shown any animosity. Registrar would have allowed those two items up by the way with monons regularity, if they had been anything in the nature of a until nearly two months mail overdue, and In what way?—You have taken every fraud. Now it was a question whether to jury it was found necessary to bridge it pressure thought the words made use of were imply to bear on the letter hong in or to have it Have you not often taken drinks with vulgar abase, if which case they would fid for brought through. The diffic seeins to be

find that they were said by the defedant facilities for bringing it, anthinamentike, Did you not have a drink with me in to injure the plaintiff's character, in which they do not adapt themselves the changed within the last six months?—I might have case they would find for the plantiff. Did you not play me for a lottery with some amount of damages. With grand will be speedily devised to bottly condition. about three months ago? I cannot ram to the question of damages, it was only fir to greatly injured in his credit and to the disreputation I have some recollection of your, owing point out that only one person was presented if the alleged slander was published it was i con-So you see that after all you cannot so sequence of the plaintiff having brough this Lowe you any animosity?-You owe me the action. He would therefore ask them wither His Lordship said he did not see the oh they considered the expressions used meriy as abuse or whether they thought they were aid to him in his character as a solicitor with a viv to atilized by the Government in till war.

injure him. The jury after a retirement of aboutten RAMJAHN U BRANDT,

This was a claim for brokerage. Mr. Hastings was for the plaintiff: "thideloudant conducted his own case. Mr. Hastings said, this was a claim for breer- compound comprises an area of 3.0 kubo. age on 100 Sugar shares sold by Mr. Bran to Mr. Ho Tim, through the plaintiff, who siged up like mushrooms in Japan. Alte we have for the concerned. Mr. Ho Tim had arrated the Nippan, Fukagawa, Shinagawad Tokyo with Mr. Braudt concerning these shares. action should have been included in the acon will shortly be Electric Lighting Canies in His Lordship said he did not see the brought about a fortnight ago. The brokene Yokohama and Shizuoka. They are in conwas due then according to a recent finding d templation at Kumamoto, Nagasakingshina, should have been included in the previous clan. Mr. Hastings said that there were three part of the defendant and that he was parate contracts and consequently they had to infure the reputation of the plaintiff, separate cause of action on each. Moreof December in the Grand Hotel. Threctors

their completion had not expired With Mr. Brandt on that point. eniture." He left a chit in doten lant's ment of an action he was bringing again pany actually took over the business Nov His Lords in gave judgment with costs f

THE SIBERIAN RAILWAY. The Vostochnoe Obozrenie (Review of the East Sangster to re-tax the bill. He signed gives the following news of the Great Siberian

The building of the Siberian Railway may were sometimes taxed by Mr. Sanganow be considered as definitely resolved upon. In fully competent spheres, as far as is known to why Mr. Sangster should not tax the bigus, there exists a full conviction, that not later than the beginning of spring of the coming avear, steps will be taken for the construction of ing. Witness thad known Mr. Sangethe several parts of this huge railroad. It will The in three sections, separated from each other y the water systems of the Rivers Obi. Yenisei and Amur, between which it will form as it were The defendant then went into the three separate portages. According to the survey of the expedition made by Mojeninoff, Vyazenaski, and Ursati, the length of the sec-

tions will be as follows: -The first section, from Tomak to Irkutak, the so-called "Central Siberian Railway."— 1.567 **t** vests or 1.035 miles; the second, from Port Myeffiki on the shore of Lake Baikal, to Stretensk (or, to speak more accurately, to the village of Mutakan, 5 versts above Stretensk 000) vests or 663 miles.—forming the "Trans Baikal Ralway"; the third, from Port Graff ki on the liver Ussuri to Vladivostok. (which vill be alled the "Ussuri Railway"). 383 ersts of 258 miles. The length of the hree sections together will be 2,951 versts. equivalen 1956 Euglish miles. About 20 miles wers more rails will be required for rreat inlid lakes, and rivers, the journey by teamers ver which will form the greater portion f the Serian Overland Route from the Ural

## CHUNGKING.

It is it a time since you have had a letter was an imposition to charge for work wherem thrould-be port. Important and start-We gromewhat smured a short time are disallowed the two items. The only other the constitutions of an Ichang corres-En Szen was badly injured. he conjured up This concluded the evidence for the defean inting picture of a distressing famine.

cession sing the National Athem all along

There was no malice in the remark he had made, about two-ed miles to the north of here. night here, been up the river toopen a staby a professional man and it was therefore not to the soult from here. Evidently, this necessary to prove malice. Mr. Brandt had province is ting the attention of mission. pleaded privilege and the question was whether ary societies as of mercantile associations.

Five missi societies are represented, four of which are ving in Chungking. Eight stations are old by about 40 missionaries, (including milities, wives.) The large majority of the eff the China Inland Mission.

plaintiff for the full amount claimed, not only mitted to occupy thuildings before the re-Thanksgiving Dalcelebrated at the com-

giving dinner, a Theiring service, and a guests. The tradition key was absent, but a goose occupied bines. The occasion brought together twentilts and six children.

This has recently happedo the mail of some of us, package after plge being piled No. I think not. Certainly not in the defendant or if they would go furthe and that the foreign mail has more beyond the conditions. It is to be hopent some way -N. C. Daily News Correspond

### $Y^{D}KOHAMA$

One of the conditions of the blishment of the Yokohama Dockyard is lit shall be Yokohama's commodious new t building has now been almost completed as expected he might have gone so far as to say that minutes returned an unanimous verdict for the to be ready for opening early [890]. The building, which will have cost 1000 when completed, covers an area of about trube and has 15 upstairs rooms. 19 rooms he ground floor, and eight rooms underneathel are to be used for confining prisoners he Court Electric Lighting Companies apringing Electric Lighting Companies in To, similar Mr. Brandt said his def. nee was that his concerns in Osaka, Kyote, and Kalind there Kanazawa, Niigata, Sendai, Nagandi Tsu. The first half-yearly meeting of scholders in the Grand Hotel, Limited, was hold the 21st This closed the evidence for the plaint when the last action was brought, although had the satisfaction of presenting report John Howell, assistant bailiff of the S these contracts had been settled, the time it which recorded the wiping off of thability. 1 313.049.55, with which the hotel anusiness Mr. Webber the day after the executi - His lordship thought each of the contract were taken over by the Company as profit asned. Mr. Webber said to him "Ills was distinct and said he should decide agains (after defection the amount of this and other incidentals in the way of infat, in he had not. Mr. Webber then said "W Mr. Brandt said he had no further defence surance, &c.) of \$28,942.22; while t shareyou going to do about it? If he does raise and must therefore submit to judgment holders had the pleasing intelligence divid-131st, and this after writing off \$1.55 for elextenordinary expenses, \$3,769 against Hings \$2,230.46 against furniture, and the catur of 1,416,72 to the new account.—Japan Gite.

# HARODATE.

The British barque Dorothy (Croal, stor) It the harbour on the 10th for Nagasawith part cargo of seaweeds, but on gettinguide was found that the fly wheel shaft the mps was broken in two. Fortunatelhere an engineer's shop here which underk to At and turn one with all despatch, a the que left the outer anchorage vesterd the for Nagasaki. The Governor Robwespermitting, will inish leading thireek. will probably get away on or about th2nd The weatherup here is anythi but aleable, some days snowing, freezidand bling hard from the N.W., then a cole of dd southerly winds, when a great thanken pl-what the natives call an open wir.-Jan Gazette correspondent.

# THE FRENCH MAIL

M. M. steame Calidonien, withhe Free mail of the 30th November, arrived are yestlay. The following telegrams are ken from ylon, Indiac, ad Rangoon papers. ONTHOUSAND ADITIONAL POLICE P

Lindon, 6th Decemb Thisovernment idend asking Parliaent to vot.000 additional police to London. ILLNESS OF THE CZAR. Ikalin, 8th Decemb Drayden and Bermann have gone hasty to St. Pelaburg to attend the Czar, who is sifer-

THE SIKKIA QUESTION. CALCUITA 12th December The bos in Sikkim exerct to be windown. The Girmont has no ptention except to numourh waiting game o.China. THE LUENZA EPIDEM IN ENGAND. LONDON, 4th December.

The ideans epidemic is sacking the tababilants one Spitalfields digiot, and has ob-NLEY TO STAY | EGYPT. LONDON 5th Deember. It is unstood that Standwill go in Egypt and remathere for the parat, oming to

England the spring. THE NEW CERCY OF TREMO'S STATE TRY INTO DUCK, LONDON 5th December. The East Zetland, the m Vicercy of Ireland, made State entry in Dublin yesterday, when harkable enthusim was displayed by the crowing the street, sine hostility was shown. I tudents broke tough the cordon of military i police, and folwed in the pro-

BANGOON. MADRAS, th December.

The Printpost Friday ismine shooting. On Saturday visited the Ler Hospital, and What answer did you make to that?—I sent was noticed to that?—I sent was noticed to the control of the bill of costs.

Accompanied by a notice of the date fixed for at once to put in force the machinery of the care by was a good one but excessive rains of the control of the care of the date fixed for at once to put in force the machinery of the care by was a good one but excessive rains of the care of the date fixed for at once to put in force the machinery of the care of the date fixed for at once to put in force the machinery of the care of the date fixed for a state of the date fixed for a state of the date fixed for the date fixed for a state of the date fixed for t

> LONDON, lik December. It is believe Lisbon that is Times account

The Mercury of the 28th uit, translates the have been still higher, but for the anxiety following from a native paper:- The Shanghai Cotton Cloth Company have at last started, after mercial crisis among the native merchants." tion of the company. They have now five large That is to say, the withdrawal of sycee was bollers and & small one, with all other recognizing attended by a restriction of credit. The restriction of credit in rest since been imported and native interest has the establishment may now be seid to be in tallen to less than 21 per cent. per annum. operation:

orisis between Great Britain and Portugal. Liabon, 16th December. Salisbury will receive complete explanations. WENTENCES IN THE CRONIN MURDER CASE.

CHICAGO, 16th Docomber. After three days' deliberating the jury in the Cronia murder case found the prisoners Couglin, O'Sullivan, and Burke guilty of murder, and

In pursuance of the law of Illinois States the jury fixed the penalties in the Cronin trial. The prisoner Kunze was found guilty of monslaughter and sentenced to three years! imprisonment The prisoner Beggs was acquitted. The counsel for the defence has applied for a new trial. SIBERIAN HORRORS.

LONDON, 16th Decomber. The Times states that thirty Siberian exiles having hesitated to obey the police at Yakutak were attacked, six of their number being killed and nine wounded. Three were afterwards

DOM PEDRO AND THE BRAZILIA - REVOLUTION Lonnon, 7th December Dom Pedro, ex-Emperor, arrived at Lisbon vosterday. He was greatly affected. During the voyage the Empress wept continuously. On boarding the steamer she hart her hands. There was an affecting meeting with the members of the Royal Family at Lisbon. Dom Pedro has refused the pensions affered to him by the Re oublican Government.

LONDON, 16th December. A manifesto has been issued by the ex Emperor Dom Pedro's Promier, who is now in Brazil to continue the struggle in the coming elections, when he and other royalists will be candidates. He denounces the treachery of the Minister for War, who he says, lured him into the hands of the rebels.

LONDON, 16th December. It is stated from Rio that 150 Brazilian sailors cheering the late Empire. THE LATE RODERT BROWNING.

LONDON, 14th December. Jondon, 16th December.

The remains of the late Robert Browning are EMIN PASHA DECORATED. BERLIN, 16th December.

The Emperor Will am has conforred the order of the Iron Crown upon Emin Pasha. THE ARMY RETIREMENT WARRANT. LONDON, 17th December. tion of the opening chapters of Emile Zola's new the usual mensoon. A letter has appeared from Sir E. Stanhops movel, "La Bete-humsine" (the human brute), in which he argues that the new retirement wer- which has so monopolized interest that but little rant is no breach of faith torwards officers, aid attention has been paid to half-a-dozen first per-

concludes that the Secretary of State is bould formances of new plays during the week. to act upon any convincing evidence showing that the warrant unduly retards promotion. A. THE SILVER PLATE DUTIES. LONDON, 17th December.

THE AMERICAN MAIL

the prosperity of the exchequer.

The P. M. steamer City of Rio de Janeiro with the American mail of the 3rd off, arrived here yesterday morning. The amended telegrams are taken from our San Francisco CHINESE AND UNITED STATES.

WASHINGTON, 2nd December. The Chinese Minister has written a long letter to Blaine, protesting on chiralf of his country against the law whiel restricts certain of his countrymen from coming to the United States. He says it is not right treatment to scoord to a friendly nation, especially when citizens of the Unted States are freely allowed to enter China and enter any business. Therefore he desires to enter his his candidacy for the Academy. country's emphatic protests and page that the laws be repealed.

Inquiry at the State Departmen! was answered by a statement that the letter has been received, but the officials decline temake public entents, as it was a diplomatic matter. A CHINESE TRAGEDY ON BIARD THE

"SOUTHERN CROSS' "New York, 29th November Captain Bailey and the first mte of, the ship Southern Cross had a hearing bfore a United States Commissioner, to-day on charge of killing Ah Sow, the Chinese steward of the ship on a recent voyage to Sydney. They were ac mitted to bail. From stories pld-by them it seems that the Chinaman west crazy, looked himself in the galley, and when the crew tried to get him out he fired two shot, wounding the mate and a sailor. The captairand mate then, with the idea of frightening his, fired two shot through the door, and the crei broke in. A Sow was found dead with a bil in his heart " I'be mate told me of the troute," said Captair Bailey yesterday. "I went tothe gilley and found the doors and windows parded up, and heard—the—cook—inside—thrashig—around—an smashing things all to pi-ce. I called to the cook to open the decreand get break fast ready for the crew. He replied with an oath that he would die first. Ve attempted to force the doors. The cook opened a small win dow-and hastily emptied a recover at us. heard him say: "I'll blow up the ship and fix man aboard if I have i die myself.' We all realized that the man vas maddened from excessive use of opium. The cargo in the hold consisted of twelve and ce-half tons of cartadges and barrels of nitrollycerine, gunpowder, and gasoline. We realigd that it would he am easy task for the oras Chinaman to execute his diabolical threat. A minute later we heard the Chinaman choping away at the dook. He had in his hands a poprful axe, which was used in the galley for choping wood. The galley was located immediately pr the cargo, and it was only a matter of a fewninutes work for the cook to cut a hole through the deck and drop a burning brand into the bd. We made another attempt to force the doors ading into the galley, and were met with a volley shots from the affair. Chinaman's revolver, every one the bullets penetrating the door. I realizedhat immediate action was imperative. After paiously peering through a bullet hole in the dool saw that the then armed myself with my riflend began firing through the door. The cook, 20 had a plentiful supply of ammunition, rurned the shots. At length the firing from with ceased and after waiting a few minutes we aret in the door We found the Chinaman lyit dead upon the middle of the galley floor. I had out a held through the deck and had everpreparation made to blow up the vessel. Lookis down into the hold we could see the barrs of gasoline and

member of the crew. A LADY WHO IS A TENOAS WELL AS A New York3rd November.

the cases of cartridges." ThCaptain's log sub-

stantiated his statement, and a signed by every

A pure tenor is like a flaws diamond—there is nothing rarer-yet withinke past week the operatio managers of New ork claim to have discovered something even me remarkable. It better, is nothing less than a femine tenor with a double register. The lady Miss C. E. Nicolai a native of Baltimore, whershe is well-known and mover in the highest soty. Being wealthy and passionately fond of mp, Miss Nicolai has had every opportunity forhe cultivation of

DISSATISMACTION : BRAZIL. · Berli 30th November. Public meeting, there were ies of " Down with replaces the German. the republic!" "Long liv Dom Pedro!" and revolvers were sotively ul, several persons establed and many would. PAS. 2nd December.

leading factors in the Braian Revolution was cholera epidemics. the intrigues of agents of the Argentine THE BRAZILIT FLAG. RIO DR. JANEE, 29th November.

The Government has ally readopted the old-flag. This action bariyen rise to some irritation. France has remised the republic. abandon the plan-MR. GLADSTONE ON LQL GOVERNMENT. LONN. 2nd December.

British influence, and has thereby evoked a grave did not most the legitimate demands, of the country. He advocated granting to the County he steamer Iowa, bound for Boston Connails powers of taxation, the control of the freight and passengers d in the The Portuguese press aver that Major Pinto's police and liquor traffic, the care of its poor, sey let night with the Liqurian procedure in Nyassaland has been most open, power to deal with the question of ground rents. Alexandria, and also see Spanish and that Britain had been informed of every de- and a form of district councils. He would not Municip. The Liquricabindoned, tail of his movements. They add that Lord possibly go further and establish the parish per cargo of cotton kept hat and she principle of government, and thus convey to the subsequently beached. Thand Musin rural population the first elements of their public docked. education and create a some of public duty. which is the higher aim of statesmen. The pro- he Times has been deed good deal visions for direct Scottish and Welsh home rule, page lately to the on of the Gladstone said, must be dealt with by future in seal fishery questide Governthey have been sentenced to imprisonment for Parliaments. He referred to his approaching is urged not to acq in a policy life.

eightieth birthday, and said that it was not pro- be apart of the Unitates which hable that he should have a direct interest in completely exclude Britterests from many future great reforms.

GLASGOW, 2nd December. Bullour in a speech here to-day set forth the rd in strong array. Lalisbury does ideas of the Government on the proposed Irish low any evidence of desig reopen the STATION college. He declared, however, that he would |n. and indeed, the Lil commenting never advise his colleagues to embark upon the | Times articles, opensiare that the ardness enterprise nuless the following neces. he does not care to hav trouble with sary conditions were fulfilled : First, the boon Vashington Governm They rather should be cordially accepted by the Irish people. Ily remark that he woulder to confine Second, the offer shall not be used as a political corons, foreign, policybullying and weapon by one party in Parliament against its | ig a little country liketugal, though opponents. Third, Englishmen, Scotchmen, and litish financial and opeial interests. Irishmen shall all concur in offering this good. Inspired the dispute wortugal are no He confessed that he saw no likelihood that it the the than those int in the Alaska would be accepted with those conditions. It was teries question. never any part of his intention that the Government should endow a Catholic theological chair. | Cannon defeated He Baizin in a PARNELL AND HIS MOTHER.

London, 30th December. Everybody here who knows anything about | Parnell and his affairs sympathizes with him so beadquarters of thilyation Army far as the statements are concerned which have dire early this morand great desbeen cabled from America on the alleged author- for property is exped The fire is still ity of his mother. Parnell is not pour. A Lisbon, in which he appeals to his supporters in gentleman who knows him well and what he is about said that he is engaged in a work now which involves a large amount of money, which | HIPPING INTHIGENCE. he is perfectly prepared to meet. "I do not know," said the gentleman [ (Continued from page.)

whether Mrs. Parnell knows the incalculable is injury she is doing to her son and the cause fritish steamer Glen, from Nagasaki which he has so much at heart by allowing these comber, reports hacht variable winds have been shot by order of the Republic for statements about her poverty to appear from transki to 27 N.: tib to port strong time to time. A mother who keeps on doing bds and cloudy went this sort of thing would have killed almost any strike steamer Hong, from Swatow The Doan of Wostminster has offered a place interesting to note in this connection that simber, reports hadderste N.E. winds in the Abbey for the comains of the late Robert Parnell has for years believed that there weather with sme sea. In Swatow Barometer ........... 29.96 were gold deposits in abundance somewhere upon | whong and Yungar his Wicklow estates, and he spends £1,000 or so li every year in prospecting for it. It is an unbeing brought to England for interment in doubted fact that gold has been discovered in lember, reports hinoderate southerly Westminister Abbey.

Wicklow county, but so far no great quantity which continued 130th, after which has been found upon Parnell's property at

ZOLA'S LATEST ATROCITY! PARIS, 23rd November The sensation of the moment is the publica. ward of Palawa Across the China

This novel, for which the great pourtrayer of the dark and repellant side of human nature has Paracels and Hokong. In Bongkok been making special studies for five years, appears | Chom Klag. in La Vis Populaire, and the first number has A memorial from the East India Association | had the prodigious sale of 250,000 copies, a result petitious Mr. Goschen to abolish the dulies on attained as much by ingenious advertising as by MERCIAL ITELLIGINGE. eilver plate and reform hall marking in view of Zola's literary attractiveness.

Early in the week all Paris was horrifled at finding every wall where billsticking is parmissible placarded with hideous and repulsive pictures, illustrating the bentally suggestive samship Patho, sailed on the 24th incidents in the story. There were miles of :- For New lock-250 bales waste these placards and the indignation of the larger rolls mattings and 422 packages sunclass of Parisians knew no bounds when they found Zola's audacious libertininge thrust under lamship Pemb keshire, sailed on the the very noses of their wives and children. Zola announced some months are that this \$5 bales waste silk, 17 bales Punjom novel would be the greatest surprise of any in sea chinaware, at cases blackwoodware.

his long series, and he is right. So many serious ilm-leaf fans, [45] casks preserves, 49 complaints have been made that Zola has issued a 47 rolls making, and 400 packages a chameteristic letter defending himself and se. For Hamburg-15 bales feathers. placing the responsibility entirely on the publishers, whose side of the story has not yet b∍en heard..

It is thought that the extreme license of the lone are:--stury, as evidenced by the pictured advertise. New Malwa, ...\$520 per picul, allow of ments, will finally slienate the strictly literary class from Zola and will do immense damage to New Malwa. \$530 per picul, alloe. of THE SITUATION IN PORTUGAL.

LISBON, 2nd December. It is somi-officially denied that there is any wa agitation in Portugal arising from the revolution in Brezil and looking to the establishment [w) ...... \$5174 per chest. of a republic. The paper making the aunouncement says that the Republican groups in this sew: ..... \$5163 city and Operto confine their actions to a theoretical propaganda. The monarchist press considers the Government too tolerant even in this

LONDON, 3rd December. that the Spanish and Portuguese Governments Bills, at 30 days sight ...... 3/15 have been apprised that the Republicans are shills at 4 months sight ..... 3/2 bent upon attacking the Spanish monarchy 3, at 4 months sight ......... 3/21 through Portugal. GERNANY AND AUSTRIA.

BERLIN, 30th November. garding the recent Kalnoky-Bismarck compact. SORK .--Francis Joseph annulled the decision giving anthorized the Bourse to give quotations of the in demand Bulgarian loan and permitted the Austrian TA.timacy with Ferdinand. The check upon Bis- and demand marck's diplomacy is absolute, and has been the Lat. subject of constant communication between this sight

the statement that he was forced to depart from the arrangement even at the risk of precipitating a conflict with Russia. He found both the Austrian and Hungarian Ministers adverse to the terms of conciliation offered by Russia, and the opposition at Pesth was becoming so strong by. that it threatened to overturn the Tisza Ministry. Emperor William and Bismarck received Ri the explanations in sullen silence. Herbert S'hai Bismarck wrote to Count Kalnoky that the triple alliance must submit to a renewal of the Ch dangers of the old position, aggravated by proofs Ch of the irresolution of Austrian policy. Premier 61 84 B. Crispi, in a dispatch, commented upon the in-

the Czar and Count Kalnoky, and their prolonged in rigning, is intensified antagonism between Austria and Russia, the irritation of Chinaman had out a hole through the deck. I Italy, and the relaxation of the relations of the

UNITED STATES.

Eugene Schuyler's speech to the Khedive on his reception as American Consul-General in Bart & G. powers of the mired tribunals, lightening the financial burdens or niding the development of Egypt, your Highness may be assured that such | Motel.: do-operation will never be lacking." That is interpreted by the English to mean that English authority and policy in Egypt port from the State Department at Washington while Mr. Blaine was Secretary of State would

There can be no question as to the wisdom of the policy which he has now announced in Egypt, where all real authority is and must continue to be English, in whose rule lies the

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS. St. Petersburg, 30th November. The reform in the administration of the Hamburg firms receive cier dispatches freely Baltic provinces has gone into effect. Under from Rio de Janeiro. Ouespatch reports that the new administration journalists are deprived in a row in the streets of Rie Janeiro, after the of the franchise and the Russian language

ST PETERSBURG, 1st December. ... Professor Zeokaner, a leading medical authority, declares his belief that influenza now prevailing here is a forerunner of cholers

details of the attempt to assessinate the Hungarian Prime Minister, Tisza. A member of the opposition was let into the secret by the conspirators and succeeded in persuading them to

LIVERPOOL bember.

LONDON December.

enefits of the scaleries. claim of the MR. BALFOUR AND THE PROPOSED CATHOLIC | States that the Behrif is American solely is elaborately ofcted by the the old stock argumding brought

LONDOR December. Roman match on a fd the Aquarium for alleged stakes of Lonnold December.

ritish steamer Kibsang, from Chefoo artherly winds anigh sea prevailed. ilish steamer Flisire, from Sandakan ember, reports excienced strong nor-

ands with heavy salls and continuous

lish steamer Natura, from Singapore sember, and Banok 23rd, reports exstrong monsoodhroughout, and high upanied with ral and foggy weather

Thusbay, 2nd January.

EXPORT ARGOES.

of Purity. The Wine is as designated. mber:—For Budon—28,266 lbs. Con-

24 to 34 catties. ..\$540 per picul, alloe. of 127 to 31 catties. 2 to 3 cattles

EXCHANGE ... l⊮pbic Transfer ......3/14 mentary Bills, at 4 months'.

accuse the Austrians of having broken faith re- at 4 months' sight ...... 4.03 ......72 

SHARES.

Paid up.

Quotations.

\$125 | 1994 p. ct., sales

\$600 | Sp.ct.prem., nom.

\$500 5 p.ct. prem., nom.

12 p.ct. prem., nom.

£10 | £11

\$50 | \$42

\$100 | \$224

\$50 | \$42, nom.

\$20 | \$20, nom.

\$10 | \$14, nom.

\$50 | \$102, sales

\$50 | \$100, nom.

\$25 | \ 5 p. ct. dis., seller

\$125 | 60 p. ct. pm.

\$25 | \$23

\$50 \$85

£10 \$128

**\$**50 | **\$220** |

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\$50 | nom,

\$500 | \$501

\$50 \$180 \$20 \$89

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\$50 \$885

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\$100 | \$200

\$40 | \$48

\$100 | \$70

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\$60 \$105, mles

\$80 \$16 \$10 \$18

Tls. 30 | Tls. 37

\$5 | \$6, buyers

\$2 \$4, sales

\$40 \$57

lls, 100 | Tls. 2174 🖷

220 | £31

\$50 \$110

\$20 \$41

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\$80 | nom. . .

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510 | 518, nom-

Tis. 50 | Tis. 18"

\$10 | \$20 | sales & buyers

\$200 \$150, nom.

£50 Tls, 850

**\$12.**50 | **\$2**5

Count Kalnoky is reported to have offered creased irritation of Italians over the Trenting

The net result of Bismarck's conference with Decading.

ENGLISH POLICY IN EGYPT ENDOESED BY THE LONDON, 30th November.

will be backed up by the United States. Suponce have surprised the English Foreign Office, but they are beginning to understand Blaine

only hope of prosperity for that country.

It is asserted by the Tys that one of the Similar signs, he says, preceded the last five Plant VIENNA, 2nd December, Important discoveries have been, made of the

In Austria a great anowatorm has been raging for thirty-six hours, seriously impeding railway The meetings of the Lital Federation began travel. Three-thousand sweepers and twentyat Manchester to-day. Cdatone delivered an four snowplows were unable to clear the tracks Water address and said that the coal Government sill in the neighbourhood of this city

HONGKONG TEMPERATURE.

(PROM Stepene, be conne & Cola Bacterna) Jinuary 33d. Barometer-1 v.m. management and management 30.05 Therman clares a main and a second se They mometer-9 A.M. (Wet bails)...... Thermometer-Maximum .....

CHINA COAST METROROLOGICAL REGISTER.

lat January, 1250, at 4 r.m. 20,7 | 91 29,99 74

The barometer has risen and gradients are steep for N.E. winds. Cloudy, cold, and rather dry weather prevails. W: DOBERCK. Hongkong Observatory, 2nd January, 1890.

METROROLOGICAL REGISTER. On date | On date at 10 a.m. st 4 p.m.

Temperatoro ........ Force of wind 1.—Banonaran reduced to \$3 degrees Fabrenheit at the level of the sea in inches, tenths and bundredths.

2.—Thurshatune in the chade in degrees Fahrenheit.

3.—Humidity in percentage of sathration, the humidity of air saturated with a containe being 100.

4.—Direction of the Wind to two points. 6.—Force of the Wind proofding of Resulter Scale.

8.—State of the Wind proofding of Resulter Scale.

8.—State of the Winders B. blue sky; C. detected clouds D. drizaling rain; F. fog; G. gloomy; H. hall; L. lightning; O. overcast; P. passing showers; C. squally; K. rain; S. snow; T. thunder; V. vielbility; M. dev (wet). 7.- Hare in inches, tenths and hundredths, W DOBERCK.

Hongkong Observatory, 2nd January, 1990. SPECIALITIES.

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Secretary. Hongkong, 26th August, 1885. Really the best is Cuther Palmer & Co.'s Because it is old and mature and rich,

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Hongkong, 21st January, 1889.

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Hongkong, 13th November, 1889. Hongkong, let July, 1889. - FROM NEW YORK. . RANSATLANTICFIREINSURANCE COMPANY OF HAMBURG. The Undersigned, having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to \_fashionable,::ekillfully\_ ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current  ${f MONUMENTS}.$ 

ROUND TABLE TOPS, &c. STEMSSEN & Co. PRICES MODERATE. TAI YUN SHOP. Hongkong, 16th November, 1872. GENERAL LIFE AND FIRE Hongkong, 14th November, 1889. ASSURANCE COMPANY IN FOR SALE. LONDON: THE Undersigned having been appointed

Agents for the abo Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RI. KS against FIRE and LIFE at Current Rates. REUTER, BRÖCKELMANN & Co. Hongkong, 1st July, 1:59. TMIE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED, ESTABLISHED 1870. HEAD OFFICE,—Hongkong. PONTET CANET. CAPITAL TWO MILLION DOLLARS: PALMER MARGAUX. RESERVE FUND ...... 650,000 CLAIMS PAID...... 710,000

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INSURANCE COMPANY.

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LIMITED.

Hongkong, 6th November, 1889.

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TIME TABLE. WEEK DAYS. 8 to 10 a.m. every quarter of an hour. 12 to 2 p.m. overy half hour. (Tiffin Carat 12.45) 3 to 7.30 p.m. every quarter of an hour. THURSDAYS.

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SELF-ACTING Screw Cutting extra heavy loose bed LATHE, length of Bed 1 and to extend to 26 feet when required height from centre to bottom of Gap 34 inches; fitted with extra broad Compound Slide Rest for heavy turning, with Fittings and Tools all complete, by Hind & Sons; weighs about heavy LATHE, length of Bed 8 feet, height of centre to bottom of Gap 24 inches, with Face GRANT POLICIES of INSURANCE against Plate on the side of Gap for heavy turning, with The French Contract Packet Yangtse will Fittings and Tools all complete, by Hind & be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 8th Jan., Sons. I SLOTTING MACHINE, 10" stroke with | with Mails to the United Kingdom, Europe. Tool Box, by Loudon Bros. 1 Launch's new Boy. and places beyond, via Marseilles: to Saigon. LER and COMPOUND ENGINE: the Boiler is 5 ft. Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, 9 inches by 4 feet 6 inches, Cylinders of Engine | Madras, the Australasian Colonies, Aden, Natal are 8 inches 1 14 inches diameter by 10 inches and the Cape, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. stroke. 1 Powerful Steam Pump, the two | The usual hours will be observed in closing C o.'s water Cylinder are 6 inch. Steam Cylinder the Mails, &c. 9 inch in diameter and 8 inch stroke. 1 Handsome HORIZONTAL DRIVING ENGINE, 11 Unregistered Covers containing Bank Notes, .. Horse Power nominal, with feed Pump and Coin, or Jewellery, and, where Registration has Governor, by the Pulsometer Engineering Co. been neglected, will make no enquiries into 3 CYLINDRICAL TUBULAR GUNBOAT BOILERS, alleged losses of such covers. 150 Horse-power indicated, with fittings; they are 16 feet long by 6 feet in diameter, double Furnace and 116-21 inch Tubes, they are lested to 150 lbs. to the square inch, ad weigh 8 Tone each, very suitable for Minesrno Factories 1 8 Horse Power VERTICAL BOI-LER and ENGINE. 1 VERTICAL BOILER and HOBIZONTAL ENGINE, 6 indicated Horse-power

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· 戶神本日在師吉澤**沼**僧 Hongkong, 31st December, 1889. MHINA OVERLAND TRADE REPORT Commercial Journal for China, Japan, Published at the Office of the Hongkong Daily Press on the Morning of the Departure

LATEST AND FULLEST TRADE INTELLIGENCE REPORTS or MEETINGS or COMPANIES. THE LATEST TELEGRAMS together with the

of the English Mail,

contains the

POLITICAL AND GENERAL NEWS of the Fortnight. The "Trade Report" has a large circulation in Hongkong, the Ports of China and Japan, 1629 the Philippines Straits Settlements, &c., &c.

MAILS PYPECTED.

THE INDIAN MAIL. The Indo-China steamer Wingsang, with mail from Calcutta, left Singapore at 3 p.m. on the 20th December, and may be expected here on or a bout the 5th-January....

THE ENGLISH MAIL. The P. & O. steamer Clyde, with the next outward English mail, left Singapore at 1 p.m. on the 1st, and is due here on the 6th inst.

THE AMERICAN MAIL. The O. & O. ateamer Gaelic, with the American mail of the 14th December, leaves Yokohama to-day, and is due here on the 8th inst. THE CANADIAN MAIL.

The C. P. steamer Abzesinia, with Canadian mails, left Vancouver on the 14th December, and is due here on or about the 10th January. STEAMLES EXPECTED.

The P. & O. Extra steamer Teheran left Singapore at 3 p.m. on the 26th December, and is due here on the morning of the 3rd January. The Austro-Hungarian steamer Melpomen left Singapore on the morning of the 29th December, and is due here on or about the 5th

The O. S. S. Co's steamer Dionied, from Liverpool, left Singapore on the 31st December, and is due here on the 7th inst.

POST-OFFICE NOTICES.

Peak delivery. Letter boxes have been placed in the tram cars and correspondence will be delivered by the twelve and four o'clock cars only. Local rates will be charged. Correspondence addressed to the Peak may be posted in the General Post Office up to 11.30 a.m. and 3.30 m., or in the Letter Boxes in the cars till time of departure. Correspondence from the Peak. may be posted in the Letter Boxes ap to twelve. and four o'clock. Parcels for the Peak may be posted in the General Post Office only up to 11.30 a.m. and 3.30 p.m. There will be no Sunday delivery. Covers containing bank notes, jewellery, Ac., should not be posted. To avoid robbery senders of letters are requested to cancel their stamps

by writing the word 'stamped' across them. Letters, Parcels, &c. for Kowloon Point and steamers in Harbour may be posted in the General Post Office up to 11.30 a.m. and 3.30 p.m. Letters from Kowloon Point may be posted in the Letter Box which has been placed in the Police Station Compound up to 12 and 4

Local rates will be charged. To avoid theft senders of letters from Kowloon, are requested to cancel their stamps by writing the word stamped scross them. Covers containing Bank Notes, Jewellery, &c. should be registered

There will be no Sunday delivery. The Postal Guide for 1889, revised to date. will be found in the Daily Press Directory. p. 739 of both editions, is the only authorised complete Summary of Postal information published in Hongkong.

The authorised List of Mails issued in

connection with this paper is the one published twice each day in our Extra, which is always corrected to a much later hour than that given A MAIL WILL CLOSE. For Straits, Colombo, and Bombay.—Per Nizam, to-day, the 3rd inst., at  $11.30~{
m A.M.}$ For Shanghai, Kobe, and Yekohama.—Per Oanfa, to-day, the 3rd inst., at 17.30 A.M. For Shanghai.—Per Ningpo, to-day, the 3rd net. at 3.30 P.M.

Haitan, to-morrow, the 4th inst., at 5.00 P.M. For Straits and Bombay -- Per Bormida, on Tuesday, the 7th inst., at 11.30 A.M. For Singapore.—Per Iphigenia, on Thursday, the 9th inst, at 9.30 A.M. For Nagasaki, Kobe, Yokohama, and Vanconver. B.C.—Per Batavia, on Thursday, the 9th inst., at 11.30 A.M. For Yokohama and San Francisco-Per City of Rio; on Thursday, the 9th instant, at

For Swatow, Amoy, and Foodhow.—Per

MAIL FOR THE NORTH The Mail for the North will close as follows: — For Shandhal, Kobe, and Yokohama, per-S.S. Caledonien, to-day, the 3rd instant. For Shanghai,— Registry ceases at 1.45 PM. Mail closes at

2 P.M. Late Letters received from 2.10 to 2:30 with 10 cents Late Fee! For Japan. Registry ceases at 2.15 P.M. Meil closes at

Paid Correspondence may then be posted in he moveable box on board the Packet The Post Office declines all responsibility for Unregistered Letters containing Bank Notes, Coin, or Jewellery, and, where Registration has been neglected, will make no enquiries into 9 alleged losses of such letters.

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